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A letter such as yours of 8 December always gives us real concern; we never like anyone, after a visit to Central Intelligence Agency, to feel that he has not been treated with consideration and fairness. As a result of your letter we have carefully reviewed your file and your qualifications against the existing openings here in the Agency, only to find that there has been no change -- there still are no openings calling for experience and qualifications such as yours.

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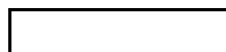
[redacted] at the time of your visit here, did their very best to find an opening, and had your papers reviewed by the proper officials, but still were unable to find a suitable vacancy.

The first sentence of your letter has left me slightly confused in that neither of the girls in my office is aware that you ever tried to reach me personally -- and I am not quite sure from your letter whether you did try or not. I can assure you that there has never been a case of anyone's wanting to see me when I have not made myself available to him. If, however, you did try to reach me and received discourteous treatment, I would appreciate very much knowing the name of the individual who was guilty of such behavior.

We are extremely sorry that there were no suitable vacancies for you, but we do want to assure you again that your case received every possible consideration.

Sincerely yours,

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